

much value in doing constructive work during a time of destruction. He means the building to be used as a quiet place for quiet thinking, a place to get away, if only for an hour, from the pressure and busyness of the College.

Student officers for the winter term are: Samuel E Brown jr, student moderator, William McLaughlin, John Swackhamer, and Herbert Oppenheimer.

John Evarts and Bedford Thurman, both in training in Florida, were in the cast of "The Desert Song", produced at their camp by Joshua Logan, the director of the Broadway show, "This is the Army". Thurman is now in officers' training school. Roland Boyden is stationed in Alaska, as a lieutenant (jg) in the Naval Intelligence Service. Anne and Frederick Mangold are in Mexico City; Dr Mangold is attached to the Requirements Division of the Board of Economic Warfare at the American Embassy there.

The YMCA-YWCA annual interracial conference has been invited to meet at the College immediately following the end of the spring term in June. The Textile Workers of America's Southern Training Conference has also been invited to re-

turn to Lake Eden during the summer. It is possible that the College will sponsor a Seminar on America for Foreign Scholars, in co-operation with the American Friends Service Committee; the Seminar would be under the direction of Herbert Miller, who last summer directed the Friends' American Seminar.

## Alumni news

Derek Bovingdon and Barbara Sieck were married January 4, the day Derek graduated from officers' training school. He is one of a few members of his class chosen to learn to fly the army's Flying Fortress, and is now in training in New Mexico as a bomber pilot.

Fred Stone and Jane Robinson were married in New York on January 2. Fred is now stationed in New Jersey. When he is transferred, Jane will return to Black Mountain. She has been working in a war plant during the summer and fall.

Mary Rose Riegger married Harold Aks on December 24. After leaving Black Mountain she took secretarial courses in New York and worked this fall as secretary to a New York doctor.